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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

MICHAEL HAMILTON,

CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:CV-01-0039

Petitioner

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R. M. REISH, Warden FCI-SCHUYLKILL,

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Respondent

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ORDER

On January 10, 2001, Petitioner, an inmate confined in the Schuylkill Federal Correctional Institution, Pennsylvania, filed <u>pro se</u>, a petition for writ of "habeas corpus ad subjiciendum [sic]," pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241, as well as the appropriate five dollar filing fee. On January 23, 2001, this court denied Petitioner's § 2241 petition because it sought to attack the validity of his underlying federal criminal sentence, which must be brought pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255. On February 8, 2001, Petitioner filed with this court a motion to proceed <u>in forma pauperis</u> on appeal of the decision on his habeas petition. Although Petitioner has not filed a court of appeals <u>in forma pauperis</u> affidavit or a prisoner account statement, he did file a declaration in support of his request to proceed <u>in forma pauperis</u> in which he states that he has no money.

Based upon the foregoing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT, Petitioner's motion to proceed in forma pauperis on appeal is GRANTED.

YLVIA H. RAMBO United States District Judge

Dated: February 🐉 , 2001.